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In the Specification:

Please replace paragraph 38 with the following:

As is best seen in Figs. 3, 4 and 5a-5g, the floor of each individual [0038] container is formed with a double v-shaped configuration converging into the metering mechanism 15. (Note, an inner endwall shown Figs. 5f and 5g is removed from Figs. 5a, 5b and 5c so as to illustrate the interior configuration of the containers). At the lower apex of each v-shaped configuration, a trough 18 is provided in which an auger 20 is rotatably mounted to convey grain or other particulate material along the bottom of the floor into the metering mechanism 15. Preferably, there is an auger 20 located in each of the troughs 18 in the containers 12, 14. The v-shaped configuration of the floor facilitates the movement of particulate material into the auger 20 for conveyance to the metering mechanism 15. As is best seen in Figs. 4, 7 and 8, each auger 20 is individually powered by a motor 21 mounted on the distal end of the auger 20 compared to the metering mechanism 15. Preferably, these motors are hydraulically driven; however, they could be driven electrically or pneumatically as well.